


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Docket No. 50623.362	
In re Application of: Syed F.A. Hossainy, et al.				
Serial No. 10/751,043	Filing Date January 2, 2004	Examiner GEORGE, Konata M.	Group Art Unit 1616	
Invention: COATINGS FOR IMPLANTABLE DEVICES AND A METHOD OF FORMING THE SAME				
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Final Office Action mailed September 19, 2007 in the above-identified application.				
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months
From: <u>December 19, 2007</u> until <u>January 19, 2008</u> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 100%;"> <small>Date</small> <small>Date</small> </div>				
The fee for the extension of time is \$120.00 and is to be paid as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1850. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.				
Dated: <u>January 16, 2008</u> Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. 1 Maritime Plaza, Suite 300 San Francisco, CA 94111 (415) 954-0200		 _____ Cameron K. Kerrigan, Esq. Reg. No. 44826		